

DANIELSON AND PUTNAM NEWS

DANIELSON

The body of Mrs. Alice Potter Young, who died in Attleboro is to be brought to Danielson Sunday for burial in Westfield cemetery. Mrs. Young was the wife of Frederick Young, who was engaged for years in business in Pawtucket. She had been in poor health for a long time. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Potter, a family well known in this town. Mrs. Young was a devoted mother and her husband, Mr. Potter, who was a graduate of Killington High school, leaves her husband, a married son and her mother. Her friends here testify to the beauty of her character and her many charming graces.

It was stated Friday afternoon that there is a possibility of the members of the roads, rivers and bridges committee and the appropriations committee of the general assembly who are in Putnam today making a visit to Danielson this afternoon to view the route to Littleton, improvement of which is provided for in a bill introduced by Representative E. L. Darrin. Today's visit will afford the committee an ideal opportunity for inspecting this uncompleted section of trunk line, for it is rougher now than the Rocky Road to Dublin, driving over which even a Ford would develop bright sparks.

A few of our special for today: Rockingham cigars, 10 cents; stuffed dates, 50 cents; 100% pure chocolate covered peppermint chips, 40 cents; Mose the Drug-gist, Rexall Store—adv.

Killington High School students and the faculty of the school were well pleased with the showing made by the representatives of the local institution in the typewriting contest between the Killington and Putnam schools, as told in the news from that city this morning.

Connecticut Mills will face a contest of players tonight in the town hall that gave them their worst beating of the season at Millbury Monday evening of this week. Though Millbury, which is an all-star aggregation, won the Monday game by a score of 45 to 20, no such margin of victory will likely be permitted the visitors in this evening's game. Connecticut Mills is confident of being able to take the measure of the Millbury boys. The game is likely to be a whirlwind race and one of the very best of the season, the fans say.

This is the ideal time for tripping vines and shrubs. This is our special week Victor Perreault, Box 23, Danielson—adv.

Charles (Billie) Russell left here Friday morning for Rockville, Vt., to join the Garbols of 1921 company in which he has his partner, as he is featured in a special show presented by the company will take place in the company is playing on a circuit that will take it to the Pacific coast. Mr. Russell expects to be away several months.

At the Ladies' services at St. Alban's church Thursday evening of next week Rev. Walter F. Brockett of Williamsville will be the preacher. Tuesday evening, March 1, Rev. Edward Campbell, Abington, will preach at the church.

Unusual weather conditions that have prevailed since the first of the year have caused traffic to play havoc with practically every street in Danielson excepting Main street, which is permanently paved. Alternate thawing and freezing weather has resulted in street surfaces becoming deeply rutted and travel over them is exceedingly difficult and uncomfortable. There seems little prospect of remedying the condition, however, until the first of the spring, and that probably will not be for some time to come.

Funeral services for Mrs. Corinne Pelouin were held at the Sacred Heart church in Worcester Friday morning and were attended by relatives and many friends of the deceased. Burial was in the Sacred Heart cemetery.

After a hearing before Judge W. Penner Woodward in the town court Friday afternoon John J. Moran of East Killingly, married was bound over under \$2,000 bonds to await trial at the next term of the superior court, probable cause being found for holding him on charges of rape and indecent assault. Moran, who was represented by Attorney Charles L. Torrey of Putnam, pleaded not guilty. The alleged victim of the crimes charged testified against Moran. She was 16 years of age last October and charged that the crimes alleged were committed in December. One other witness, a girl of 17 years of age, testified in the case, being brought over from the jail at Brooklyn, where she is being kept for the present while awaiting admission to the state farm for women.

Moran, who has lived in East Killingly for years, could not furnish the amount of the bond and was taken to Brooklyn jail by Deputy Sheriff Charles A. Ayer. For two years he has been living apart from his wife, who has filed suit for divorce.

If a bill pending in the legislature is passed, numbers of Killington people will be liable to be fined. This bill provides penalties for those who walk carelessly and negligently in the highways. It is a strange fact that many people will abandon a good sidewalk and travel along the highway, and on state roads this practice is more dangerous than walking on a railroad track, for there are twenty times many motor vehicles than trains passing to and fro.

The wireless aerial over Hale's store is being put back in place after being out of commission since the war, when restrictions were placed on the use of wireless apparatus by the government.

The Fortnight club is to meet next Tuesday afternoon, Washington's birthday with Mrs. John M. Dowe of North Main street.

It is announced that nearly \$100 was raised at the Casino.

DANIELSON CASINO, STARKWEATHER BLDG., BOWLING AND POCKET BILLIARDS, FOUR ALLEYS, THREE TABLES, WEDNESDAYS LADIES' DAY. Bowling is the sport for all. Prices given away every Saturday.

NATHAN BERKOVITZ, DEALER IN POULTRY, Pigeons and Rabbits.

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MARTIN T. BURNS, Funeral Director and Embalmer, DANIELSON, CONN., 23 Academy St. Phone 223; also 257-4.

A. F. WOOD, The Local Undertaker, DANIELSON, CONN., FARMERS & MECHANIC STREET.

DANCES

OLD AND MODERN

IN I. O. O. F. HALL

TONIGHT

PROF. TINKHAM'S ORCHESTRA

POTNAM

Upwards of a score of the roads, rivers and bridges committee and of the appropriations committee of the general assembly arrived here during Friday afternoon and evening to look over state road projects provided for in bills now pending before the legislature.

The legislators, representative of both the senate and house and of various parts of the state are making their headquarters at the Putnam Inn.

John A. Morse, Jr., of Worcester, formerly of this city, where his parents are residents, has been elected leader of the South Works orchestra, American Steel and Wire company, at Worcester, where he has been located for a number of years and established an enviable place for himself as one of the leading violinists of that city, where he has been a member of theatre orchestras and an instructor of recognized ability.

Sept. William L. Macdonald of the schools of Putnam will preside as toastmaster this evening at the Kappa Sigma fraternity of Brown university, of which he is an alumnus. The event of the evening will include a reunion of alumni members of the fraternity and initiation.

The assembly hall of Putnam High school was well filled Thursday evening by an interested and attentive audience at the first typewriting contest between the High schools of Killington, Thompson and Putnam.

This was conducted by Mr. Pfrommer, amateur champion writer, under the rules of the International Typewriting Contest. In the first round, twelve competitors, four each from the Killington, Thompson and Putnam High schools, all seniors, were selected to represent their respective schools in the contest.

The matter used was entirely new to them and they wrote for ten minutes without a stop. The copy was laid on the desk at the side of each machine and during the entire time of writing their eyes were fixed upon the copy, never once glancing at the hands. In this contest for each error made, no matter how slight, ten words were deducted from the total score.

After the papers were examined the result showed that Katherine Henshaw of Killington High school had written 78 words in the ten minutes with 17 errors, leaving a net result of 61 words or an average of 6.1 words a minute for the entire ten minutes.

Lucille Downs of Putnam High school wrote 83 words with 16 errors, making her average 6.7 words a minute.

There was also a contest between the same schools by pupils who began typewriting in September last, having five months practice. In this contest Sybil Gilman of Putnam High school wrote 55 words with 13 errors, giving her an average of 4.2 words a minute; and Lucille Downs of Killington High school wrote 50 words with 5 errors, an average of 10 words a minute.

The winners' class an average of 45 words a minute is unusually high and the small number of errors among all the contestants shows that the instruction in these three schools is thorough and effective.

While the paper was being examined Mr. McManis, manager of the Gregg shorthand in Boston, gave an interesting and instructive talk on the value and importance of thoroughness and devotion to their work. He gave many apt illustrations gathered from his wide experience of pupils of moderate ability rising to high positions through willingness to do hard work and make the best of their opportunities. He complimented the teachers of each of the schools on the showing made by their pupils, and suggested that hereafter there be an annual contest similar to the one just concluded. Mr. Pfrommer then gave a short exhibition of his mass letter of the keyboard by writing 125 words a minute from new matter on the typewriter and 175 words a minute from familiar matter while carrying on conversation with the committee.

The audience went away firmly convinced that the commercial part of the High schools is in good hands, the instructors doing thorough and practical work and preparing pupils to go out into the world well equipped to meet the demands which will be made upon them.

An address on education given Thursday at the evening school by Henry Charles L. Torrey, secretary of the Putnam town school committee and a member of the state board of education was commented upon Friday as one of the most interesting of a series of talks arranged for the pupils by Principal L. F.

DAVIS THEATRE

Friday, February 25, 1921

Submarine Flotilla

Minstrels

Matinee and Evening

Performance

UNDER AUSPICES

Norwich Lodge, 430 B.P.O.E.

TICKETS ON SALE STARTING

Saturday, February 19, 1921

AT

Engler's Broadway Pharmacy

POPULAR PRICES

Battery.

Rev. J. C. Mathieu, pastor of the Sacred Heart church at Waukegan, will come to Putnam Tuesday evening next to deliver the sermon, which will be in French, at the Lenten service at St. Mary's church. Visiting priests will be heard each Tuesday evening during Lent at St. Mary's.

Price Boston terriers owned by Mr. and Mrs. George H. Dresser of this city will be entered for exhibition only at the Boston dog show to be held during the coming week. The dogs recently were exhibited at the New York show, where they attracted great attention.

Willis Carroll, Lionel Chas. John Kennedy, Thomas H. H. and Frank H. Corbett are members of a committee named by Cargill council K. of C. to arrange for a whist the proceeds of which will be devoted to the Hoover fund for the relief of starving children in Europe. As the need of these children is great the date for the event is fixed during the period of Lent.

On motion of Representative Melloy of Derby, the house at Hartford voted to name a committee of three to draft memorial resolutions relative to the death of "Souvenir" W. H. Taylor of this city, so long identified with the legislature and its activities and publisher of a number of legislative documents.

The fact that immigrant trains are being run out of Boston for New York via Hartford kept some people on the watch here Friday for the possible passing through this city of such traffic.

Inspector Edgerton of the motor vehicle department will not be in Putnam next Tuesday, Washington's birthday. The announcement was made on Friday.

Attorney Andrew J. Bowen, who died Thursday at his home in Williamsville, was well known in this city, where he had many friends.

Henry Grinnell has gone to Peoria, Ill., where he is to take a course at an optical school.

Miss Antoinette Caren is spending a week at her home in Tataville.

It was stated here Friday that not a little money belonging to Putnam people is tied up in the Tremont Trust company, Boston, which was closed Thursday by the Massachusetts bank commission, who described the bank's methods as "unsound and unauthorized."

Albert McC. Matthews, a native of Woodstock, has been elected vice president and attorney for the Citizens' Trust company of New Haven, where he has been a resident for years.

Captain Robert Hurley and Officer Howard Elliott of the state police have practically closed up another spoon case over in Toland, where they closed the

SUPREME FEATURE PHOTOPLAYS

Breed Theatre

CONCERT ORCHESTRA

SUNDAY—MONDAY AND TUESDAY

LUTHER REED'S SEARCHINGLY HUMAN

PHOTO-DRAMA

"LURE OF YOUTH"

A Metro Special Production From the Original Story by

Luther Reed, as Scenarioized in Person by Mr. Reed, With

an All Star Cast Including

CLEO MADISON, WILLIAM CONKLIN, GARETH

HUGHES, LYDIA KNOTT, WILLIAM COURTWRIGHT

AND HELEN WEER

This is a Pulsing, Vital Drama That Shows the Change in

Woman's Heart When Awakened by the Magic of Youth's

Aspirations.

TOPICS OF THE DAY — SUPREME COMEDY

TODAY—FOUR SHOWS

1:30—3—6:15—8:15

WILLIAM FARNUM

"DRAG HARLAN"

An Amazing Drama of the

Speediest Two-Gun Wizard

the Great West Ever Knew

PATHE NEWS

SUNSHINE COMEDY

VOLUNTEERS

Lenten devotions were held at St. Thomas' church Sunday evening, a large congregation being present. Feb. Father

Jubert of Baltic was the preacher. His sermons in French and English were received with close attention. Father Jubert gave benediction of the blessed sacrament, which closed the services.

Joseph Marion has sold his interest in the firm of Marion Brothers to Fred G. Dawley. Mr. Marion will also resign as postmaster.

Friday Charles Spaulding brought down a fox and Saturday Albert Dawley, Jr., was the lucky hunter who got one.

Sunday evening last Mrs. Ella Whipple broke her leg when she slipped on the ice near her home. Dr. Sweet was called in and reduced the fracture.

Gerrish Douglas, 51, for many years a resident of this town, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Taylor, in Westbury, R. I., Feb. 10th. The funeral was held Saturday at his home and burial was in the family lot at the Kennedy cemetery in this town.

Misses Kathleen O'Connor and Catherine Sullivan spent the week end at their home in Worcester, Mass.

Mrs. Mary E. Maine of Danielson was for several days this week a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hatch.

Mrs. Maine is a well known former resident and many friends and former neighbors were pleased to greet her.

Miss Alice McGuire, R. N., is at Pendleton Hill caring for Mrs. Mary B. Palmer.

The valentine social at the chapel Tuesday evening was well attended.

Mrs. John Herbert and daughter Cleo are visiting relatives in Worcester, Mass.

LAUREL GLEN

Mr. and Mrs. McCulloch were Western visitors Monday.

Twenty-six members of the Y. P. S. C. E. of Ashaway spent Saturday evening as guests of Gilbert Main, one of their members. Music and games made the evening pass quickly. Refreshments were served. The guests enjoyed their straw ride back to Ashaway.

Three foxes have been captured here during the past week. Leonard Main was successful in getting a red one. John Geer a gray one and Frank Main also shot a gray.

Mrs. William Maine enjoyed a ride to Clark's Falls Sunday.

DAVIS 4 NIGHTS, BEGINNING SUN. NIGHT, FEB. 27th AT 7:30

TWICE DAILY THEREAFTER, AT 2 and 8 P. M.

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"UNEXAMPLED WONDER OF THE 20th CENTURY"—Boston Herald

"Finest I've ever seen"—Herald Chester City

"A magnificent Production"—Canton Post Times

"A Work of Superb Art"—Brooklyn Times

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A Pictorialization of the Delightful New England Play, of the Same Title. An Eighth Art—Combining Drama, Painting, Poetry and Music. Tinkling Sleigh-bells, Thrills and Merry Laughter—Throating a Love Story of Wonderful Desire.

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Special Symphony Orchestra

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NIGHT PRICES, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00

MATINEES, MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, 25c to \$1.00

New York Is Paying \$5.00 a Seat — "Well Worth \$10.00 a Seat" Says the N. Y. Herald.

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DAVIS THEATRE

ONE NIGHT ONLY Wed., Feb. 23rd

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"BEST COMEDY EVER WRITTEN BY AN AMERICAN"—N.Y. Tribune

BOOTH TARKINGTON'S Captivating Comedy

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WITH ALFRED LUNT AND A BRILLIANT COMPANY (Direction of GEORGE C. TIER)

FORTY SOLID WEEKS IN NEW YORK

PRICES:—ORCHESTRA \$2.00

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BALCONY \$1.50 AND \$1.00—TAX EXTRA

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DAVIS THEATRE

SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 21, 22

Jesse L. Lasky presents

WILLIAM DeMILLE'S PRODUCTION

Midsummer Madness

With LOIS WILSON, LILA LEE, JACK HOLT and CONRAD NAGEL

Acclaimed by the editor of The Moving Picture World as "the greatest legitimate dramatic production the screen has ever seen."

PARAMOUNT MAGAZINE

"DON'T WEAKEN"—Sennett Comedy

—TODAY—

WALLACE REID, in "ALWAYS AUDACIOUS"

ETHEL CLAYTON, in "A CITY SPARROW"

CHARLIE CHAPLIN, in "SHOULDER ARMS"

CONTINUOUS SHOW TODAY

SUNDAY—BESSIE BARISCALE, in "THE GREEN SWAMP"

MACK BENNETT COMEDY—Episode No. 7, "THUNDERBOLT JACK"

SCREEN LETTER BOX

TODAY—DON'T MISS THE LAST DAY SHOWING OF BIG BLUFFS AND BOWLING BALLS.

CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG, in "HUSH"—WESTERN MELODY

STRAND

MONDAY—TUESDAY—WEDNESDAY

No Advance in Prices Monday

MATINEE... 20c

NIGHT... 20c-25c

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